

# Newborn Screening Quality Assurance Program

Quality Control Specimen Certification

Set 2— July 14, 2014

## Acylcarnitines Method: MS/MS Non-Derivatized - MS/MS non-kit

ENRICHMENT LEVELS (endogenous levels not included)

<i>Analyte (μmol/L whole blood)</i>	<i>Lot</i>	<i>Base</i>	<i>Lot</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>Lot</i>	<i>Intermediate</i>	<i>Lot</i>	<i>High</i>
Free carnitine (C0)	1461	0	1462	10.0	1463	20.0	1464	30.0
Acetylcarnitine (C2)	1461	0	1462	10.0	1463	20.0	1464	30.0
Propionylcarnitine (C3)	1461	0	1462	3.0	1463	7.5	1464	12.0
Butyrylcarnitine (C4)	1461	0	1462	1.0	1463	2.5	1464	5.0
Malonylcarnitine + Hydroxybutyrylcarnitine (C3DC + C4OH)	1461	0	1462	1.0	1463	2.5	1464	5.5
Isovalerylcarnitine (C5)	1461	0	1462	0.5	1463	1.5	1464	3.0
Glutarylcarnitine (C5DC)	1461	0	1462	0.5	1463	1.0	1464	2.5
Hydroxyisovalerylcarnitine (C5OH)	1461	0	1462	0.5	1463	1.5	1464	2.5
Hexanoylcarnitine (C6)	1461	0	1462	0.5	1463	1.0	1464	2.5
Octanoylcarnitine (C8)	1461	0	1462	0.5	1463	1.0	1464	2.5
Decanoylcarnitine (C10)	1461	0	1462	0.5	1463	1.0	1464	2.5
Dodecanoylcarnitine (C12)	1461	0	1462	0.5	1463	1.0	1464	2.5
Myristoylcarnitine (C14)	1461	0	1462	0.5	1463	1.5	1464	3.0
Palmitoylcarnitine (C16)	1461	0	1462	3.0	1463	8.0	1464	12.0
Hydroxypalmitoylcarnitine (C16OH)	1461	0	1462	0.1	1463	0.5	1464	1.0
Stearoylcarnitine (C18)	1461	0	1462	1.0	1463	2.0	1464	5.0
Hydroxystearoylcarnitine (C18OH)	1461	0	1462	0.5	1463	1.0	1464	1.5

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Analyte	Lot	Mean/ 95% CL	Lot	Mean/ 95% CL	Lot	Mean/ 95% CL	Lot	Mean/ 95% CL
C0	1461	$\bar{x} = 13.0$ CL = 11.2–14.7	1462	$\bar{x} = 21.1$ CL = 18.6–23.6	1463	$\bar{x} = 29.3$ CL = 25.9–32.6	1464	$\bar{x} = 38.1$ CL = 33.1–43.1
C2	1461	$\bar{x} = 12.4$ CL = 11.0–13.7	1462	$\bar{x} = 22.0$ CL = 19.4–24.6	1463	$\bar{x} = 32.2$ CL = 28.6–35.9	1464	$\bar{x} = 41.8$ CL = 36.4–47.2
C3	1461	$\bar{x} = 1.2$ CL = 0.9–1.5	1462	$\bar{x} = 3.9$ CL = 3.1–4.8	1463	$\bar{x} = 7.9$ CL = 5.5–10.2	1464	$\bar{x} = 11.6$ CL = 8.9–14.3
C4	1461	$\bar{x} = 0.1$ CL = 0.1–0.2	1462	$\bar{x} = 1.0$ CL = 0.7–1.2	1463	$\bar{x} = 2.2$ CL = 1.8–2.7	1464	$\bar{x} = 4.4$ CL = 3.2–5.5
C3DC + C4OH	1461	$\bar{x} = 0.1$ CL = 0.0–0.1	1462	$\bar{x} = 0.3$ CL = 0.2–0.4	1463	$\bar{x} = 0.5$ CL = 0.4–0.7	1464	$\bar{x} = 1.1$ CL = 0.8–1.4
C5	1461	$\bar{x} = 0.1$ CL = 0.1–0.1	1462	$\bar{x} = 0.6$ CL = 0.4–0.7	1463	$\bar{x} = 1.4$ CL = 1.1–1.7	1464	$\bar{x} = 2.7$ CL = 2.1–3.3
C5DC	1461	$\bar{x} = 0.1$ CL = 0.0–0.2	1462	$\bar{x} = 0.7$ CL = 0.4–1.0	1463	$\bar{x} = 1.2$ CL = 0.7–1.8	1464	$\bar{x} = 2.8$ CL = 2.0–3.6
C5OH	1461	$\bar{x} = 0.8$ CL = 0.5–1.0	1462	$\bar{x} = 1.2$ CL = 0.8–1.6	1463	$\bar{x} = 2.1$ CL = 1.4–2.8	1464	$\bar{x} = 3.1$ CL = 2.4–3.9
C6	1461	$\bar{x} = 0.0$ CL = 0.0–0.1	1462	$\bar{x} = 0.5$ CL = 0.3–0.6	1463	$\bar{x} = 0.9$ CL = 0.7–1.2	1464	$\bar{x} = 2.2$ CL = 1.8–2.7
C8	1461	$\bar{x} = 0.0$ CL = 0.0–0.1	1462	$\bar{x} = 0.6$ CL = 0.4–0.8	1463	$\bar{x} = 1.1$ CL = 0.9–1.4	1464	$\bar{x} = 2.6$ CL = 2.0–3.1
C10	1461	$\bar{x} = 0.1$ CL = 0.0–0.1	1462	$\bar{x} = 0.7$ CL = 0.4–0.9	1463	$\bar{x} = 1.1$ CL = 0.8–1.3	1464	$\bar{x} = 2.7$ CL = 2.0–3.4
C12	1461	$\bar{x} = 0.0$ CL = 0.0–0.0	1462	$\bar{x} = 0.4$ CL = 0.4–0.5	1463	$\bar{x} = 0.9$ CL = 0.7–1.1	1464	$\bar{x} = 2.2$ CL = 1.7–2.8
C14	1461	$\bar{x} = 0.1$ CL = 0.0–0.1	1462	$\bar{x} = 0.6$ CL = 0.4–0.7	1463	$\bar{x} = 1.4$ CL = 1.1–1.7	1464	$\bar{x} = 2.8$ CL = 2.2–3.5
C16	1461	$\bar{x} = 1.0$ CL = 0.8–1.1	1462	$\bar{x} = 3.3$ CL = 2.6–3.9	1463	$\bar{x} = 7.2$ CL = 5.6–8.8	1464	$\bar{x} = 10.0$ CL = 7.9–12.1
C16OH	1461	$\bar{x} = 0.0$ CL = 0.0–0.0	1462	$\bar{x} = 0.1$ CL = 0.0–0.1	1463	$\bar{x} = 0.3$ CL = 0.2–0.4	1464	$\bar{x} = 0.5$ CL = 0.3–0.7
C18	1461	$\bar{x} = 0.7$ CL = 0.5–0.9	1462	$\bar{x} = 1.5$ CL = 1.1–2.0	1463	$\bar{x} = 2.3$ CL = 1.8–2.8	1464	$\bar{x} = 4.9$ CL = 3.7–6.0
C18OH	1461	$\bar{x} = 0.0$ CL = 0.0–0.0	1462	$\bar{x} = 0.3$ CL = 0.1–0.4	1463	$\bar{x} = 0.5$ CL = 0.2–0.8	1464	$\bar{x} = 0.8$ CL = 0.3–1.2

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Isovalerylcarnitine (C5)	1365	0	1366	0.5	1367	1.5	1368	3.0
Glutaryl carnitine (C5DC)	1365	0	1366	0.5	1367	1.0	1368	2.5
Hydroxyisovalerylcarnitine (C5OH)	1365	0	1366	0.5	1367	1.5	1368	2.5
Hexanoylcarnitine (C6)	1365	0	1366	0.5	1367	1.0	1368	2.5
Octanoylcarnitine (C8)	1365	0	1366	0.5	1367	1.0	1368	2.5
Decanoylcarnitine (C10)	1365	0	1366	0.5	1367	1.0	1368	2.5
Dodecanoylcarnitine (C12)	1365	0	1366	0.5	1367	1.0	1368	2.5
Myristoylcarnitine (C14)	1365	0	1366	0.5	1367	1.5	1368	3.0
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Hydroxypalmitoylcarnitine (C16OH)	1365	0	1366	0.1	1367	0.5	1368	1.0
Stearoylcarnitine (C18)	1365	0	1366	1.0	1367	2.0	1368	5.0
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C0	1365	$\bar{x} = 15.7$ CL = 12.8–18.6	1366	$\bar{x} = 18.3$ CL = 13.8–22.7	1367	$\bar{x} = 30.8$ CL = 24.3–37.3	1368	$\bar{x} = 41.7$ CL = 32.9–50.5
C2	1365	$\bar{x} = 10.5$ CL = 9.2–11.8	1366	$\bar{x} = 20.3$ CL = 16.8–23.8	1367	$\bar{x} = 29.6$ CL = 25.0–34.3	1368	$\bar{x} = 40.6$ CL = 32.6–48.5
C3	1365	$\bar{x} = 1.3$ CL = 0.9–1.6	1366	$\bar{x} = 4.0$ CL = 3.1–4.9	1367	$\bar{x} = 8.0$ CL = 4.9–11.0	1368	$\bar{x} = 12.1$ CL = 9.3–15.0
C4	1365	$\bar{x} = 0.2$ CL = 0.1–0.2	1366	$\bar{x} = 1.0$ CL = 0.7–1.3	1367	$\bar{x} = 2.1$ CL = 1.4–2.8	1368	$\bar{x} = 4.2$ CL = 2.9–5.5
C3DC + C4OH	1365	$\bar{x} = 0.3$ CL = 0.1–0.5	1366	$\bar{x} = 1.3$ CL = 0.5–2.0	1367	$\bar{x} = 2.2$ CL = 1.2–3.2	1368	$\bar{x} = 5.1$ CL = 2.6–7.5
C5	1365	$\bar{x} = 0.1$ CL = 0.1–0.2	1366	$\bar{x} = 0.6$ CL = 0.4–0.7	1367	$\bar{x} = 1.4$ CL = 1.0–1.9	1368	$\bar{x} = 2.9$ CL = 2.1–3.8
C5DC	1365	$\bar{x} = 0.0$ CL = 0.0–0.1	1366	$\bar{x} = 0.5$ CL = 0.3–0.8	1367	$\bar{x} = 0.9$ CL = 0.5–1.3	1368	$\bar{x} = 2.3$ CL = 1.1–3.5
C5OH	1365	$\bar{x} = 0.7$ CL = 0.4–1.0	1366	$\bar{x} = 1.1$ CL = 0.8–1.4	1367	$\bar{x} = 1.8$ CL = 1.2–2.4	1368	$\bar{x} = 2.8$ CL = 1.8–3.9
C6	1365	$\bar{x} = 0.0$ CL = 0.0–0.1	1366	$\bar{x} = 0.5$ CL = 0.3–0.6	1367	$\bar{x} = 0.8$ CL = 0.6–1.1	1368	$\bar{x} = 2.2$ CL = 1.5–2.9
C8	1365	$\bar{x} = 0.0$ CL = 0.0–0.1	1366	$\bar{x} = 0.5$ CL = 0.3–0.7	1367	$\bar{x} = 0.9$ CL = 0.6–1.2	1368	$\bar{x} = 2.3$ CL = 1.7–2.8
C10	1365	$\bar{x} = 0.0$ CL = 0.0–0.1	1366	$\bar{x} = 0.5$ CL = 0.3–0.6	1367	$\bar{x} = 0.8$ CL = 0.6–1.1	1368	$\bar{x} = 2.2$ CL = 1.5–2.9
C12	1365	$\bar{x} = 0.0$ CL = 0.0–0.0	1366	$\bar{x} = 0.4$ CL = 0.3–0.6	1367	$\bar{x} = 0.8$ CL = 0.6–1.1	1368	$\bar{x} = 2.5$ CL = 1.6–3.3
C14	1365	$\bar{x} = 0.1$ CL = 0.0–0.1	1366	$\bar{x} = 0.5$ CL = 0.3–0.7	1367	$\bar{x} = 1.4$ CL = 1.0–1.8	1368	$\bar{x} = 2.8$ CL = 1.9–3.8
C16	1365	$\bar{x} = 0.8$ CL = 0.6–1.0	1366	$\bar{x} = 3.3$ CL = 2.6–4.1	1367	$\bar{x} = 7.3$ CL = 5.6–9.0	1368	$\bar{x} = 11.1$ CL = 9.0–13.2
C16OH	1365	$\bar{x} = 0.0$ CL = 0.0–0.0	1366	$\bar{x} = 0.0$ CL = 0.0–0.1	1367	$\bar{x} = 0.2$ CL = 0.1–0.2	1368	$\bar{x} = 0.3$ CL = 0.2–0.5
C18	1365	$\bar{x} = 0.7$ CL = 0.5–0.9	1366	$\bar{x} = 1.5$ CL = 1.1–1.9	1367	$\bar{x} = 2.3$ CL = 1.7–3.0	1368	$\bar{x} = 5.3$ CL = 4.0–6.6
C18OH	1365	$\bar{x} = 0.0$ CL = 0.0–0.0	1366	$\bar{x} = 0.2$ CL = 0.1–0.2	1367	$\bar{x} = 0.3$ CL = 0.2–0.4	1368	$\bar{x} = 0.5$ CL = 0.3–0.7

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